

Forecast For Southwest England
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Headline:

Largely dry start, before persistent rain later. Windy throughout.

Today:

A largely dry but cloudy start, with spots of drizzle in places. Through the afternoon, rain will sweep the region. These outbreaks will be heavy at times. Strong winds throughout, with risk of coastal gales. Flooding risk across the moors. Maximum temperature 11 deg C (52 deg F).

Tonight:

This evening, the heavy rain turns widespread, with downpours across the region, notably heavy over high ground and the moors, with continued flooding risk. Risk of gales along southern coasts. Minimum temperature 10 deg C (50 deg F).

Wednesday:

While the rain will be persistent, apart from a brief dry spell in the afternoon, it will likely be less intense than today, though still heavy at times. Windy throughout. Maximum temperature 12 deg C (54 deg F).

Outlook for Thursday to Saturday:

Still windy with possible coastal gales. Colder and drier conditions on Thursday and Friday with lighter winds, but showers are still likely. Largely dry Saturday morning, before widespread rain later.

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